

THURSDAY EVENING, JAN. 21, 1909.

THE recent decision of the U.

S. Supreme Court in the Waters-Pierce Oil Company case recognizes the wide scope of a state's su'hority to regulate corporations within its borders. Texas has gone further in this direction, perhaps, then any other commonwealth. sand its anti-trust law is one of the severest ever enacted. The Waters-Pierce company has felt the full force of this drastic statute. Expelled once from Texas as a violator of the antitrust law, it was permitted to do business again in 1900 on the representation of its officers that it was in no way connected with the Standard Oil Company and in no agreement with it regarding the price of oil. When it was tion of the legislature was connived at proved to be a subsidiary of the Standard by the federal government for the very Oil Company its president, H. O. purpose of bringing on war. The ab-Pierce, was indicted for perjury, and it ance that the federal government has was again barred from doing business within the State, fined \$1,623,500 and its property in the Sate thrown into the hands of a receiver, so that the state could collect its fine. The court finds that Texas was within its rights in dealing thus with the oil company, violating in no respect the federal constitution. Speaking broadly, the court says: "That State legislatures have a right to deal with the subject matter and to prevent unlawful combination to prevent competition and in restraint of trade is not open to question." Having the power to pass laws of this sort, a State has also the power to provide means for their execution. After examining the case in detail the court finds that the State of Texas in executing its law has in no way violated the federal constitution. The decision atfords the evidence that State governments in the reasonable exercise of their police power over corporations can accomplish
more than has been effected thus far by
That the immediate fortification of more than has been effected thus far by the federal government, which possesses no such power. This decision, in strict accordance with the democratic principle of self-government by the people of the States in all that relates to their domestic affairs, demonstrates that there is no need of centralization of power in the federal government in order to protect the people from the oppression and extertions of corporations and monoplies But if State courts in enforcing State legislation should impose unreasonable fines upon offending corporations the Supreme Court will see to it that they

judical oppression fence set up by Griffith van Fleet, who clined to discuss the question for publichased bis wife half a mile in Suequemost remarkable. His wife, it seems, was of a docile ra'ure, and when smitten on one cheek invariably turned the other. Van Fleet decided she was too What the outcome will be is not known. mild-mannered and submissive to live; heuce he concluded to murder her. A posse was after him when he shot himtend with brutal hustands, and the by a preacher in Alexandria many years ago. A party of sots were in a saloon that midnight was fast approaching, and the men reluctantly concluded it was time to wend their way homeward. Sav-eral composing the party observed that Dr. Walter Fewks, Ph. D, of the when they entered their houses. One although it was near midnight were the party to accompany him home, his wife, at his request, would leave her bed and cook supper for the party. This was thought to be a remarkable statement, and the man's companions decided to test its truth. They accompanied the supper ready for himself and friends. The wife followed the directions, and, as table. The guests, after realizing what his many delinquencies, and told him he and they refused to eat the supper, and, it is said, in future spent most of their spare time with their families.

a'so in their turn shall be protected from

IT was stated in Austin yesterday that as a result of the federal Supreme from the reception room of the Navy Hopse ong near Newsrk, N. J., blew up Oourt decision in the Texas suit against Department today to the Naval Museum the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, the at the Washington pavy yard. It was accompanied by the petition of 20,000 S:andard Company would be in entire

mitted suicide yesterday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Gross, near Reno's monument, on South mouncoal-oil and then setting fire to the garFrom Washington.

ature of California insists on passing the anti-Japanese bills now pending. He hopes that the legislature will accept the advice of Gov. Gillett that the bills be killed not only in order that Japan may be given the "equare deal" in view of the carrying out by the government of its end of the immigration agreement entered into two years ago, but also for the sake of international peace. The report of the general staff on the defenselessness of San Pedro Bay, Cal., given out today, shows it is claimed how easy it would be for Japan to obtain a base in this country, in the event of war. Other points on the Pacific coast, it is said, are only a little better protected.
It is pointed out today that this is Califormia's second offense. Once before the 'big stick," prevented the enactment of similar bills. Californians in Washington generally deplore the attitude taken by the more radical members of the legislature, while at the same time they are open in expressing their regrets that President Roosevelt did not need their request last summer to retain the battleship ficet in the Pacific ocean. The president's answer to this criticism is that were the fleet there now, Japan might very readily assume that the ac-

That the figures on Japanese immi-gration to the Pacific coast which have been compiled by the Department of Commerce and Labor are authentic and that the figures complied by the Japanese Exclusion League of the Pacific coast are calculated to arouse unjustified autagonism, is the attitude of the administration. While no statement was given out, it is known that the president and the State Depart-ment are inclined to look upon the alarming figures of the increase of Japanese immigration compiled by the coast people as unfounded. The president is reported to have told his callers today that if he could get the sensible people of California to thinking for themselves, they would be on his side and tunnel. the agitation would be stopped. The authorities at Washington take the atti-tude that the passage of the disputed bills by the California legislature would be the violation of a contract that that state entered into two years sgo in which it was virtually agreed that the nation should handle the Japanese problem in

had no part in the theatened legislation.

the San Pedro barbor in southern Califorpia is necessary for the wellfare of the nation, is the statement made in a report to Congress by the general staff of the army today. The report lays especial stress upon the case with which under existing conditions, Japan could occcupy the harbor and use it as a base for operations against the rest of the Pacific coast and the Panama canal. Japan is not named anywhere in the report, but is referred to as "a certain oriental power" which has recently acquired great potential strength as an The board estimates that it would case \$8,655,269 to fortify the har-

The international crisis brought about through the anti-Japanese situation in California brought a number of mempers of Congress hurrying to the White MANY singular causes have been urged in extenuation for murder, but the de. President Roosevelt. While these de President Boosevelt. While these de climated to discuss the question for publication, they did not attempt to conceal their belief that the situation was one that hereafter the heads of executive destate that must be handled with great deligacy.

President Boosevelt has created a Naficial amount of subscriptions. A committee was appointed to arrange for a continuation of the belief that the situation was one moderate gains in prices. Leading railroad stocks generally moved up 1.8.4. There were forced advances that hereafter the heads of executive designation receivers to compel payment of the z lian figs. He was then made to march at the bead of the mob through the principal streets, and give three cheers for that hereafter the heads of executive designation receivers to compel payment of the z lian figs. He was then made to march at the bead of the mob through the principal streets, and give three cheers for the situation was one moderate gains in prices. Leading railroad stocks generally moved up 1.8.4. There were forced advances in a few specialties. hanra, Pa., recently, and shot her to that must be handled with great delicacy. death and afterwards killed bimself is Incidentally the desirability of increasing the naval programme for battleships was touched upon. Administration friends in Congress are eager to renew

the former fight for four big war ships.

In the Russo-Japanese war the American steamer Montars, of the Pacific Coast Company, was captured as a prize by a Japanese naval official. That caused welf. Many good women have to con- her to loss her American registry and when later she was sold to an American above brings to mind an incident related to an American port, he was obliged to pay tonusge taxes and light dues just as though she had been a foreign ship. when the clock in the place indicated Subsequently the Montara was given another American register and today the Sanate committee on commerce made

their wives would deliver Caudie lectures Smithsonian Institution, last night delivered an address before the members of the Cameron Club at Christ Church of the men said he did not dread such Parish Hall, taking for his subject, "Prebistoric Ruins in the Southwest." fended at him. He further stated that The lecture was illustrated with stereopticon views and was very interesting.

A preliminary survey looking to the improvement of the Mattaponi river, Virginis, was today approved by the Senate committee on commerce.

Lieut, Col. Clarence P. Townsley, commanding the artillery district of Pensacula, has been promoted to the command of the artillery district of man home, and the latter awoke his Chesapeake Bay. He will relieve Col. wife and directed her to rise and get Geo. F. E. Harrison, who is placed on the retired list as the result of his inability to take the horsemanship test,

The military affairs committee today soon as possible, had the supper on the approved the bill granting to all commissioned officers who saw more than one had been done, upbraided the man for year's service in the civil war and who have attained the age of 70, a penalon of \$50 a month, providing they do not should be a better man and appreciate hold a state, federal or municipal pension such a wife. The incident was an ob- which pays the same or a higher amount. ject lesson to the members of the party The amendment proposed by Mr Sherwood (dem. Ohio), was also adopted. It provides, with similar restrictions, that enlisted men shall receive a pension of \$25 a month.

The model of Old Ironsides, the historic frigate Constitution, was removed Standard Company would be in entire control in the south. May the good Lord have mercy upon us.

Mrs. El zabeth Hutzell, wife of Hiram Hutzell, of near Bonsboro, Md., comfrom destruction, it having been sugship was worthless and should be used

as a vehicle for high officials of the gov-[Correspondence of the Aiexandria Gazette.]
It is said here that never before have affairs approached so near to the point of a rupture of friendly relations between large and the United Section of a rupture of friendly relations between the point of a rupture of friendly relations between the point of a rupture of friendly relations between the point of the section of the secti maintenance of autos for use of Japan and the United States as they

ma'ntenance of autos for use of the president."

"When a judge issues an injunction like that of the Buck's Stive and Range Company, it is the judge who defies the law, and not the oftizens who refuse obedience to his injunction mandates, who would deprive them of their constitutional rights." In the above language Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison, the labor leaders recently sentenced to jail for contempt of court, characterized the decision of the court in a joint statement in the February federationist. The decision is reviewed at length and it is declared that the court's action opens for final settlement the question as to the right of free speech and free press.

Plans for consolidating all the mechanical branches of the navy yards under cue head and to place the entire operation of the yards more directly under their commandants, will be considered at a conference to be held at the Navy Department on Saturday, It is expected that to any or tomorrow President Rosesvelt will send to Congress a special message making recommendations for the reorganization of the Navy Department in accordance with the plan agreed udon at the naval conference of last Friday. He will suggest, it is understood, that a commission be authorised by Congress to work out the details of the reorganization by which it is hoped to change the present unwieldy bureau system. have within the past few days. It is stated that President Roosevelt foresees that of the Ro the gravest consequences, if the legis-

News of the Day.

Mr. John D. Bockefeller has given another \$1,000,000 to the University of

A report in London that the Duke d' Abruzzi would renounce his title and marry Mes Elkins, is denied at the Ital-

A joint session of the General Assem bly of Illinois a journed yesterday in a deadlock over the United States senatorial contest.

The Tennessee legislature yesterday passed the state-wide prohibition bill over the governor's veto. The law becomes effective July 1, 1909. The National Board of Trade in ses

sion in Washington yesterday adopted resolutions condemning the McOumber bill for the federal inspection of grain. Arbitration treaties with Coata Rica,

Austria-Hungary and Ohili and a naturalization treaty with Nicaragus were yesterday acted upon favorably by the Serate committee on foreign relations.

Fifty-three workmen lost their lives and two score more were injured yesterday morning in the fire which destroyed the intermediate crib in Lake Michigan used in the construction of a new water

A message from the president, sub-mitting the final report of the James-town Tercentennial Exposition Commis-sion, with the recommendation that two copies be printed, was received in both houses of Congress yesterday.

Attorney General Bonaparte reports that 84 special ageots are now employed by his department. "There were also employed from time to time," he says during the fiscal year 1908, "a considerable number of persons whose names were submitted by the chief of the secret

Charged with the murder of former United States Senator Edward Ward Carmack on the afternoon of November Plast, Col. Duncan B. Cooper, his son, Robin J. Cooper, and John D. Sharpe were yesterday arra'gued in the Davidson county, Tenn., Orlminal Court. Four arymen were secured during the day.

Three unknown Italians deliberately shot and killed Scanlou Carminio and fatally wounded Finizio Gastano, on a lately wounded Finizio Gaetano, on a lonely road near Middletown, N. Y., Tuesday night, that they might abduct the handsome young bride of Gaetano, whom he married recently in Italy. The woman was carried off and found later, but forced in a contractor, when

before any plans are formulated for publie buildings or grounds, or for the location or erection of any statue, must submit them to the council and follow their advice, unless for good and sufficient reasons the president directs other-

Mrs. Kate Sallivan, sixty years old, was attacked on a street in northwest Washington by a thug last night and robbed of her purse and felled to the ground by a blow in the face. In wrenching the purse from the woman's hand the thief dislocated his victim's left wrist. Mrs. Sullivan is at the Homeopathic Hospital in a weak condition, suffering from the injury to her arm and from shock. She was so frightened that she falled to obtain a description of the man and cannot tell whether he is a light-skinned negro or a white man.

All Mr. Taft wants of the southerners is that they like him for 864 days in the year. He does not care about the 865th, or election day. The president elect made this plain yesterday in a speech before 10,000 Augustans on one of the principal streets. The meeting was in the nature of a formal farewell to Mr. Taft who will lerve there on Saturday for Charlestov, Although Mr. Taft and John D. Rockefeller have been at the Bon A'r Hotel since Monday, they met for the first time last night at the banquet in honor of the president-

The military appropriation bill, as approved yesterday by the House commiten on military affairs, provides for a general staff corps, to consist of a chief of staff and two general officers to be deof brigadler-general; four colonels, six the first meeting. lieutenant colonels and six majors, to be detached from corresponding grades in the army under such rules for selection as the president may prescribe. The bill carries a total appropriation of \$98,-295,406, as against \$104,000,000 asked for and \$94,871,000, the amount of the

present appropriation. Four men were killed and ten others injured, one fatally, when several tons of dynamite in one of the buildings of the Forcite Powder Works at Lake late yesterday. The detonation of the huge mass of explosives shook the country for miles around and blew the buildVirginia News.

Mr. Hill A. Carter and Mrs. Mary A elph both of Richm that city yesterday.

farmer, died yesterday at his home, near Winchester, aged 70 years. Miss Mary Pleasant Howser, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. How-

ser, of near Leesburg, wis married yesterday at noon to John Alexander Hope, of Waterford.

given his liberty by Gov. Swanson, on a conditional pardor Mrs. Julia Irein, widow of Marcus state-wide prohibition, were the actual Irwin and daughter of the late Fayette cause of the killing, the presence of Buck, one of the oldest settlers of War-these two men in the jury box, will, it is ren county, died at Front Royal yester-day sged sixty-three yesss.

The Rosnoke shops of the Norfolk and Western Railway closed down yesterday for a week, and sixteen hundred tory challenges left, There were 440 of mee are idle. It is said the shops had the original venire of 500 in attendance, run \$7,000 ahead of the January appro-

Governor Swanson and the Virginia Commission of Fisheries have saked the U. S. Fish Commission, through its shellfish bureau, to survey and mark the productive and barren oyater bottoms in

Miss Florence Hastings, recently o Ohiosgo, but now of Fauquier county, and James B. Morris, of Chicsgo, were quietly married yesterday morning at The Plains with only a few inmate friends present.

Col. Charles Lee, one of the best-known citizens of Clarke county, has been quite ill at his home near B rryville for the past several days, having recently sustained a stroke of paralysis, which affected one side.

Oslmus P. Gish, head bookkeeper for the Union Printing Company, at Ros-noke took his life yesterday by blowing out his brains while standing in the yard of his home. He was 38 years old and leaves a widow and one child.

A nolle prose has been entered in the Fairlex county Circuit Court in the cases of Dr. A. S. Tebss and John J. Haskell. The former was indicted for attempted sessult in Fairian county, while the latter was indicted for malicious shooting which took place in Fair-

H. Gilman Howard, agent of the Adams Express Company, of Fredericks-burg, and Miss Edua D. Fairbanks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Fairbanks, of Fredericksburg, were married yesterday at the home of the bride's parents in that city, by Rev. W. L. Dolly, of the Methodist Church.

Mesers. Davis & Davis, Washington ratent attorneys, report the grant, this week, to citizens of this state, of the following patents: D. Cosby, of Columbis, message holder; J. Kindervater, of Richmond, boiler; C. F. Logan, of Big I-land, appera'us for recovering alkali; W. E. P. ters, of Newport News, ife-raving apparatus

The grand jury in the Circuit Court of Fairlesz county, on Tuesday after-noon indicted Ernest McKnight, colored, on a charge of a tempting to assault Miss Mary Harrison, the sixteen-year-old daughter of John Harrison. The alleged offense occurred July 14th last. McKnight will be tried January 27th. Governor Swanson several days ago issued requisition papers for McKnight, he baving been arrested by the Wash-

ington authorities. Local subscribers to stock of the Jamestown Exposition Company held a meeting at Newport Newslast night and discussed plans for defending the suits which have been brought by the exposition receivers to compel payment of the the total obligations of the exposition company are \$2,000,000, including the amount due on the government lcan, which is \$887,000 Approximately \$1,-800,000 is the price the government is saked for half of the property.

COURT OF APPEALS. Proceedings of the Court of Appeals

esterday were as follows: Colby vs. Reams. Motion to dismiss

Virginia Cedar Works vs. Dales. Argued and submitted. McCrorey vs. Thomas by, etc. Partly argued and continued.

Next cases to be called-Southern Express Company vs. Keeler, Owens vs. Owers, executor; Norfolk and Ports-mouth Traction Company vs. Nibblett, Portsmouth Cotton Oil Reflaing Corporption vs. Oliver Refining Company, Oliver Refining Company vs. Portsmouth Cotton Oil Refising Corporation, Phillips vs. Southern Railway and Southern Railway Company vs. Roach, being Nos. 47 to 54, inclusive, exclusive of No. 50

on argument docket. FARMERS WILL CO-OPERATE. The farmers' institute meeting, which began at Manasses Monday with several instructive talks by representatives from other stream from the system cam the United States Department of Agriculthrough the wind w. It was back by the United States Department of Agricultorough the wind w. It was back by culture was continued Tuesday with 200 pounds pressure, and had it struck speeches by Professor Button, of the any of the men it would have battered Manassas Agricultural School, and several prominent farmers of that section. The meeting was well attended, and to crawl to the window where he attract the farmers displayed considerable interest in the topics under consideration. had the dangerous stre
A Farmers' Co-perative Association loss was only \$20,000. tached by the president from the army was proposed and a committee appointed at large and to be not below the grade to formulate plans to name a date for

A'ter a spirited debate on the question of means to prevent sectarian teachings and practices in the public schools, the delegates to the twenty-first council of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations in Philadelph's yesterday passed resolution appointing a committee to spread literature which shall take the position that from a constitutional stand-point this is not a Christian country.

VACCINATION AND DANDRUFF. There is as Sure Prevention of Bald-

ness as There is of Smallpox.

It is now accepted that vaccination renders the vaccinated person exempt from smallpox; or at worst, he never has anything but the lightest kind of a case. Now as sure a preventive and cure for dandruft, which causes falling hair and beldness, has been discovered—Newbro's Herpiride. It kills the dandruft gram. C. H. Reed, Victor, Idaho, says: "Myself and wife have been troubled with dandruft and falling hair for several years. We tried remedies without effect until we gested by Attorney General Bonaparie, then secretary of the navy, that the old ship was worthless and should be used se a target.

Because of the evident hostility of several of the senators to the automobile several of the senators to the automobile.

Explosion was felt all over Philadelphis, and people thought it was an earthquake.

Two unknown steamers collided yeterday off Flamberough Head, England, one sinking within a few minutes. It is believed that the several of the senators to the automobile several over the steamer which sank were lost,

Today's Telegraphic News

The Carmack Murder Trial. Nachville, Tenn., Jan. 21.—Friends of the late Senator Carmack are angry James Cornwell, a Frederick county this morning at what they term the hoodwinking of the state's attorney in the selection of the jury to try the Coopers, father and son, and former Sheriff John Sharpe. It developed over night that the first two men selected, E. M. Burke and C. S. Leigh, are acknowledged friendly to Sharp and that both are avowed anti-prohibitionists. baggage thieves which cost many rail-ways thousands of dollars, was yesterday torials written by Carmack and which are to be read to the jury, advocating

generally conceded, prevent a verdict of murder in the first degree. When court re-convened today the state had 12 and the detense 68 perempand Judge Hart declared be expected the jury to be completed from them. He expects the state to open not later than Monday.

Storm in California.

Sacramento, Cal. Jan. 21.-It is fear ed that lives have been lost in a violent storm which raged all night in the Sicramento and San Josquin valleys, and which, according to early reports, caused immense damage. In Scaramente several buildings were uproofed, the electric lighting plant was put out of commission, and street car traffic almost paralyzed. The damage through the valley cannot yet be learned as all wires are down.

Following 32 hours of continuous rain the lower part of Stockton is inundated. All the rivers are rising and the levees which have been strained to the breaking point for a week, will burst, it is

feared, under the heavy wind.

In this city, A. D. Sewer, his wife and four children, were rescued from the waters of the Yolo river by the Sacramento police after their house boat had been capsized by the wind.

Conditions in Turkey.

Constantinople, Jan. 21.—The guards about the Yildiz Kiosk, the Sultan's pa'ace, were doubled today to guard against any attempt on the life of the sultan, as a result of the discovery of a conspiracy to over-throw the constitution involving some 30,000 reactionaries throughout the empire.

The government is also heavily rein-

forcing all garrisons where the conspirators are believed to be the most numerous.

While not suspecting the sultan of be ing involved in the conspiracy, the dis covery has revived the sentiment that Turkish liberty is not secure as long as Abdul Hamid is on the throne.

More than 260 arrests have been made of alleged conspirators, and the young Turks are trying to extort from them proof of the charge that two European powers had promised to support the reactionaries in case the conspiracy was

Germany Demands Explanation. Berlio, Jan. 21 .- The German gov

ernment today made a demand upon Brazil for a complete explanation of the Oatharica province, Beszil, Kullak, who is uppopular in Joinville, on account of numerous disputes with his neighbors and the Brazilian authorities. and the Brazilian authorities, recently returned to Joinville, after a visit to Germany. On landing he was seized by a Brazilian mob, beaten and forced to kneel in the street and kiss the Braof the province. Germany will await a detailed account of the affair before taking further action

Earthquake Shocks at Smyrns. Constantinople, Jan. 21 .- The earth quakes in the vilayet of Smyrna are today believed to be far more serious then when

first reported on Tuesday.

Latest messages say that hundreds of nouses were wrecked and the people have taken refuge in the mountains.

The shocks have now continued for two days. No definite information concerning the number of killed have been

A dispatch from Phocaes says 600 houses have been destroyed there. The dispatch makes no mention of the number killed. At Menemen, but a few miles from the city of Symrus, eventeen deaths

Narrow Escape of Fireman. New York, Jan. 21 .- Fireman had narrow escape from death or injury in a blaze in Greene street early today. Flames broke out in a six story business building. The engine crew were on the fourth floor wrestling with one of the high pressure lines of hose, when anthem to pieces. They laid flat on the floor until one of their number managed ed the attention of one of the chiefs who had the dangerous stream diverted. The

The Stirling Divorce Case. Edinburgh, Jan. 21.—"Jackie Dar-ling," Sirling took the stand today, at the conclusion of bis wife's evidence in support of her divorce suit, to testify in support of his counter petition. Among of Kippendavie was that he had lost fortune of \$150,000, which he possessed when he married Miss Clara Elizabeth Taylor, the Washington actress, a few years ago. He said the only thing be had now is his income of \$10,000 a year as a broker. There have been charges and counter-charges, and the testimon; of witnesses brought into court by Stirling and his wife has been sensational.

The Lake Michigan Horrors

Chicago, Jan. 21 .- In a morgue in outh Chicago today several hundre men, women and children crowded about thirty gonny racks, containing all that is left of the bodies of 48 human beingwhich to identify them. The little heap of charred flesh and bones is what remalps of the victims of the crib fire which yesterday threw a pall of horror over the city.

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Affinities To Be Felons Topeks, Kansas, Jan. 21.—The "af-finity business," will not be popular in Kansas hereafter. It is certain that the legislature will pass and Governor Stubbs will sign a bill which makes it a felony for a married woman to run away with another man, and vice versa. Even a temporary "afficity" is punishable by a jail septence. Any man who deserts his wife or a legitimate child under 14 years force is now better, and expresses his of age will be guilty of a crime, punish-able by a jail or penitentiary sentence. good order preserved by them. He sugable by a jail or penitentiary sentence. The same punishment is to be meted out to a wife. If a man refuses to support

his wife or child he must go to jail. Another bill, which also seems cer-tain of passage, provides that prospec-tive brides and bridegrooms must be subjected to strict questioning by a probate judge before they are granted a license to marry. In addition to the regular questions as to age, consent of parents, etc., they must each give a grancy; 6 shooting within the city limits, family history, dating back through seviers generations, covering matters of the mails; 192 for disorder and fighting;

The Anti-Japanese Bills

ture are going to die. No one, save promoting lottery; 11 non support of their authors, G. L. Johnson, of Sacra- family; 12 feloniously shooting and highmento, and A. M. Drew, of Freeno, are way robbers; 12 running gambling dens; pushing them, and the end will come when consideration of the bills is resamed next Wednesday. Contrary to 13 stealing chicken; 17 selling without reports in the cast, there is no sentiment license; 9 defrauding hotels; 10 wife reports in the cast, there is no sentiment of hostility in California to President beating; 3 seduction; 4 living in sdul-Roosevelt's interference. There is a tery; '4 violating the Byrd law; 7 rewide diversity of sentiment regarding what California's attitude should be toward Japan, and se to the anti-Japanese legislation that should be enacted, but it houses; 2 selling liquor to minors; 287 is generally recognized here that this drunk and disorderly, etc. this would be a most inauspicious time for the enactment of any laws that could be construed by Japan as an af-

Alleged Plot.

Buda-Pesth, Jan. 21 .- Numerous sr rests are being made at Sofia, according

New York Stock Market.

New York, January 21.—There was a firmer tone during the first hour with some moderate gains in prices. Leading

> Sixtieth Congress. Washington, Jan. 21.

> > SENATE.

The Senate today considered a joint resolution making February 12, 1909, the centennial anniversary of Abraham Lincoln's birthday, a legal holiday in the territorities and the District of Columbis. It also recommends the erection of a suitable monument to Lincoln in the city of Washington and that all cities, municipalities and societies hold on that day appropriate exercises in commemoration of Lincoln's career and

Mr. Cart r (Montans) suggested that the memorial highway from Washington to Gettysburg, in honor of Lincoln, would be preferable to a monument here which would come into competition with that erected for President Washington. After much discussion Mr. Knox offered an amendment providing that the memorial be in the nature of a great memorial highway from Washington to Gettysburg.

HOUSE.

The House today passed the bill abolishing the consulate at Messica, Italy, and establishing in its place one at Catania, with a salary of \$2,000. Consul Oheney, formerly at Messins, lost his life in the earthquake which also de-

stroyed the consulate.

The House again took up consideration of the raval appropriation bill. An appropriation of \$185,000 for con-struction of marine barracks at Pearl stricken out of the bill on a point of or-der on the ground that it was not authorized by existing law. Chairman Mann, however, ruled that the language of the naval bill last year included "necessary buildings," there and overruled

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POLICE COMMISSIONERS. The monthly meeting of the Police

Commissioners was held last night with Mayor Paff presiding. Chief Goods submitted his annual report of the operation of the police department for the year ending December 31 last. He says the memor of the force have performed their duties in a faithful and efficient manner, and that the discipline of the gests that photographs be taken of the most important arrests made by the men and a description of the criminals recorded; that a parrol wagon be procured and that the men be armed with better pistols. Chief Goods also presented a table showing the number of arrests made during the year to have been 1,427. Of these 12 were for assault on 6 officers; assaults with intent to kill; 62 for va-23 grand larceny; 34 destroying proper-ty; 21 for cruelty to suimals; 20 for carrying concealed weapons; 21 malicious San Francisco, Jan. 21.—The anti-Japanese bills in the California legisla-43 drunkenness; 124 petit larceny; 12 31 house breaking; 7 running trains in excess of speed limit; 4 horse stealing; calving stolen property; 3 violating "Jim Orow' law; 3 firgery; 7 violating sewer ordinance; 10 keeping disorderly

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This is to certify that the CONSOLIDATED QUARRY COMPANY desires to so smend its charter of incorporation, granted to it by the Corporation Ceurt of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 31st day of December, 1891, and lodged in the effice of the Secretary of the Commonwealth on the 31st day of December, 1991, as to decrease its authorized capital stock from one hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000) divided into twelve hundred (1,200) shares of the par value of one hundred (1,200) shares of the par value of one hundred (1,200) shares of the par value of the dollars (\$10,00) each, and that the said decrease in its capital stock is made pursuant to resolution of the board of directors adopted at a meeting of the board of directors adopted at a meeting of the board held on the 3rd day of October, 1907, and under a resolution of the stockholders adopted by a vote of two-thirds in interest of each class of stockholders having voting powers, at a special meeting of the stockholders held at its principal office in the C ty of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 2rch day of October, 1907, called for that purpose, after two weeks notice, required by law, published in the Alexandria Gazette had been given of the said meeting. Certified copies of the resolutions of the board of directors and stockholders meetings are hereto and racel and made a part of this certificate.

Given under our hands and the real of the said company this 12th day of December, 1908.

HENRY P, GILBERT, President.

At ested: J. C. PRATT, Secretary.

District of Columbia to wit: I, George J.

At ested: J. C. PRATT, Secretary.

District of Columbia to wit: I. George J. Johnson, a Notary Public in and for the said district, do certify that Henry F. Gilbert, the president, and James C. Pratt, the secretary of the CONSOLIDATED QUARRY COMPANY, whose names are signed to the annexed writing dated on the 12th day of December, 1908, personally aspeared before me in my district a foresaid, and acknowledged that they had made, signed, and sealed the foregoing certificate for the purpose therein set forth, by authority of the workholders meeting of the said company.

Given under my hand and notarial seal this 19th day of December, 1998. My commission expires on the 27th day of May, 1910. GEORGE J. JOHNSTON, Notary Public, juntil waw-m

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